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FOLLOWING IS AMENDMENT SUBMITTED BY PANAMA TO THE DRAFT POLITICAL DECLARATION REGARDING THE PANAMA CANAL QUESTION: QUOTE: DRAFT POLITICAL DECLARATION, AMENDMENTS SUBMITTED BY PANAMA: DELETE THE LAST SENTENCE OF THE SECOND PARAGRAPH OF THE SECTION ENTITLED "LATIN AMERICAN ISSUES": THE FOLLOWING PARAGRAPHS SHOULD BE INSERTED AFTER THE FOURTH PARAGRAPH OF THE SECTION ENTIELD "LATIN AMERICAN ISSUES"

## THE PANAMA CANAL QUESTION

THE CONFERENCE NOTES WITH SATISFACTION THE UNANIMOUS LATIN AMERICAN SUPPORT FOR THE LEGITIMATE ASPIRATIONS OF THE REPUBLIC OF PANAMA, AND ASSOCIATES ITSELF WITH THE DESIRES EXPRESSED BY THE COUNTRIES OF THE WESTERN HEMISPHERE THAT A SETTLEMENT OF THIS QUESTION BE ACHIVED THIS LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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YEAR OF THE CELEBRATION OF THE SESQUICENTENNIAL OF THE

AMPHICTYONIC CONGRESS OF PANAMA CONVENED BY THE LIBERATOR SIMON BOLIVAR.

THE CONFERENCE REITERATES ITS FIRM SUPPORT AND SOLIDARITYNASTH THE GOVERNMENT AND PEOPLE OF PANAMA IN THEIR FAIR STRUGGLE FOR THEIR EFFECTIVE SOVEREIGHTY AND TOTAL JURISDICTION OVER THE SO-CALLED PANAMA CANAL ZONE.

THE CONFERENCE REAFFIRMS THE SUPPORT OF THE NON-ALIGNED COUNTRIES FOR THE PANAMANIAN CONTROL OF THE PANAMA CANAL AND REITERATES THEIR FIRM SUPPORT TO ALL EFFORTS THAT THE REPUBLIC OF PANAMA WILL MAKE BEFORE INTERNATIONAL FORUMS, IN PARTICULAR THE UNITED NATIONS BODIES.

THE CONFERENCE PRAISES THE PROGRESS MADE BY THE PANAMAMIAN PEOPLE UNDER THE REVOLUTIONARY GOVERNMENT HEADED BY GENERAL OMAR TORRIJOS HERRERA, OFFERING ANY SUPPORT THAT THEY MAY REQUIRE WHEN FACING ANY ACTION WHICH MAY CASE ITS DESTABILIZATION. END QUOTE. REED UNQUOTE KISSINGER

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